

Table IV.A.5(2011) National total cost of optional coverage for the private sector by industry category : United States, 2011**

	Total (in millions of dollars)	Standard error
United States	42,051	815
Agriculture, fishing or forestry	101	23
Mining or manufacturing	6,030	324
Construction	1,410	105
Utilities or transportation	2,759	374
Wholesale trade	2,889	168
Financial services or real estate	6,307	272
Retail trade	4,265	222
Professional services	13,244	364
Other services	5,046	178

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2011 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey - Insurance Component.

Notes: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix. Totals may not sum exactly because of rounding.

****** Definitions of industry groupings changed in 2000. These data are not comparable to MEPS-IC estimates made prior to 2000.